

## Pittsburgh Youth, 17, Confesses Killing Neighbor Girl, 4

Lured Child to Cellar With Promise of Cent To Purchase Candy

By the Associated Press.

PITTSBURGH, April 7.—Police Lt. Michael Daugherty today quoted a 17-year-old youth as saying he choked, assaulted and buried in the cellar of his home a 4-year-old neighbor girl whom he had coddled as a baby.

Lt. Daugherty said Earl Perry lured Theresa Williams, blond and curly-haired, into the cellar with a penny "to buy candy" yesterday afternoon. He said the youth told him: "I fell down the cellar steps. She laughed and I became mad and choked her."

Perry subsequently tramped down the loose earth on her shallow grave and went to visit a girl friend, buying a bouquet of flowers for her en route, the lieutenant said. He announced the youth was charged with murder and an autopsy would be held to determine, among other things, whether the child was dead when buried.

The body was dug up by the fathers of Perry and the missing Theresa early today after a sister of the youth told them she had seen him digging in the cellar, Lt. Daugherty added.

On discovering her body, Theresa's father, a mail truck driver, seized an ax and started up the cellar steps. As detectives restrained him, he wept and collapsed.

Lt. Daugherty quoted Mrs. Adolph Williams, the mother, as saying between sobs:

"I can't understand it. When she was a baby, he (Earl) pushed her baby carriage and carried her in his arms. He even put her to sleep for me many times."

"I was good to him. I allowed him to walk in and out of my house like a son."

Perry had joined a crowd of neighbors who searched in the neighborhood 10 hours for the girl, thinking she might have walked into one of the homes and fallen asleep.

Lt. Daugherty said he took other members of the Perry family into custody as material witnesses "chiefly for their own protection because of the anger of the residents." They included the parents, two sisters and an aunt of the youth.

Walter J. Rome, chief probation officer, said that Perry, son of an Italian-born tailor, was on probation from Juvenile Court.

## OPA Housewife Urges Separate Butter Points

Sees Confusion in Buying Fats on Meat Coupons

By the Associated Press.

Perhaps it can't be done, but Mrs. Philip Crowlie, official OPA housewife adviser, would like to separate butter and fat rationing from meat rationing.

"It's sort of confusing to have to buy butter and lard with your meat coupons," the Huron (S. D.) matron explained.

"You know, in my family of five we were used to eating four or five pounds of butter a week, and you can't do that now."

"But I don't know whether anything can be done about that. After all, if the butter isn't available, we must do without, and I understand that, from an administrative point of view, it is necessary to ration fats and meat together."

She suggested that if the supply of fats should improve it was more likely that the point values of butter and shortening would be reduced rather than separated from the meat coupon system.

Outside of this situation, Mrs. Crowlie said that meat rationing, "strangely enough," seem to be working pretty well.

She said one of the problems she is going to take up with the rationing officials is a complaint that adults are buying up canned baby food for their own use.

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## Columbia Heights Citizens Nominate Officers

Officers for the coming year were nominated at a meeting of the Columbia Heights Citizens' Association last night, as follows: President, G. H. Brown; first vice president, Mrs. E. W. Howard; second vice president, A. Cruikshanks; secretary, R. K. Brown, and treasurer, John M. Botler. G. H. Brown and Mrs. Howard were selected as delegates to the Federation of Citizens' Associations.

The association passed a resolution opposing the appointment of a police commissioner in the District in place of the superintendent of police.

A civic article in The Star March 28, requesting appropriations from Congress for cleaning up streets and parks in the District, was "commended."

The meeting was held in the Christian Church, 1435 Park road N.W.

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